

Remarks

Upon entry of the above amendment, the claims will be 10 to 18.

The above amendment deletes previous claims 1 and 2 and rewrites claims 3 to 9 as new claims 12 to 18, respectively, all of which ultimately depend on new main claim 10.

Claim 11 has been corrected in a self-explanatory manner, responsive to the Examiner's comments in the Official Action with respect to previous claim 2. See paragraph 3 of the Official Action of July 13, 2005 in this regard.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks of November 14, 2005 and herewith, favorable action is now requested.

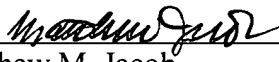
If the Examiner has any comments or proposals for expediting prosecution, please contact undersigned at the telephone number below.

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